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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s)

Alexander TUZHILIN et al.

Appl. Serial No.

09/013,490

Filing Date

January 26, 1998

For

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MONITOR AND

Gary Abelev (Reg. No. 40,479)

NOTIFICATION IN A NETWORK (as amended)

Examiner

T. Lee

Art Unit

2758

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment after Final Office Action in the above-identified application.

- 1. [X] Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- 2. [] A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

## 3. [X] Additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

è	Claims remaining after amendt.		Highest No. Prev. Paid for		Present extra		SMALL ENTITY			OTHER THAN A <u>SMALL ENTITY</u>			
	!	(Col. 1)	(Col. 2)		(Col. 3)	RAT	<u>E</u>	<u>FEE</u>	<u>or</u>	RA	<u>re</u>	<u>FEE</u>	
Total	*	42	Minus ** 40	=	2	x	9 =	\$18	<u>or</u>	x	18 =		
Ind.	*	12	Minus ***3	= .	9	x	40 =	\$360	<u>or</u>	x	80 =		
() First	Pres	sentation of	Multiple Dependent (	Claim		+	135 =	\$0	<u>or</u>	+	270 =		
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE						=	\$378	or	TO	AL =			

- \* If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.
- \*\* If the "Highest No. prev. paid for" in this space is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
- \*\*\* If the "Highest No. prev. paid for" in this space is less than 3, write "3" in this space.
- 4.(a)[] An Extension of Time to respond to the PTO communication dated October 12, 2000 is hereby requested.

Extension for response (check only one):

	<u>SMA</u>	ALL ENTITY	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY		
Within first month	[]	\$ 55		\$ 110	
Within second month	[]	190		380	
Within third month	[]	435	[]	870	
Within fourth month	[]	680		1,360	

(check and complete the next item, if applicable)

[] An extension for months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$0.00.

or

(b)[X] In the event that an extension of time is required, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

- 5. [X] Please charge our Deposit Account No. 02-4377 in any amount necessary for the petition in 4(b). Two copies of this sheet are enclosed.
- 6. [X] A check in the amount of \$378.00 is enclosed herewith for the excess claim(s).
- 7. [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and/or 37 CFR 1.17 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-4377. Two copies of this sheet are enclosed.
- 8. [] The following documents are also enclosed herewith:

BAKER BOTTS L.L.P. 30 Rockefeller Plaza, 44th floor New York, New York 10112-0228

Gary Abelev

PTO Registration No. 40,479

**Enclosures**